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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Examiner's communication mailed May 5, 2004. In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisonal Application and in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 - § 1.825, Applicants enclose herewith a computer readable form of the Sequence Listing. In addition, a paper copy of the Sequence Listing is also provided. Please insert the paper copy into the file after the Executed Oath or Declaration, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.77(a)(15). Applicants hereby state that the computer readable form and the paper copy of the Sequence Listing enclosed do not include new matter.

Pursuant to the Examiner's request, also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application with the sequence listing rules.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☐ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
- Request for Extension of Time for four months and fee of \$1,530.00
- Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Part 2
- Check in the amount of \$3,186.00 for deferred filing fee (\$790), additional claims fee (\$2,266) and missing parts surcharge (\$130)
- Signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Regarding Sequence Listing
- Computer readable form of Sequence Listing. Applicants state that the paper copy form of the Sequence Listing section of the present application, and the computer readable form submitted herewith, are the same.
- Paper copy of Sequence Listing
- Preliminary Amendment
  - The fee has been calculated as shown below in the "Claims as Amended" table
- Return postcard

#### CLAIMS AS AMENDED

Claims Remaining After		Highest Number		Present Extra		Rate		Fee
Amendment		Previously Paid For						
Total Claims								
97	-	20	=	77	х	18.00	=	\$1386.00
Independent Claims		_						
13	-	3	=	10	х	88.00	=	\$880.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE								\$0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE								\$2,266.00

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers or any future reply, if appropriate. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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### Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing 790 Applicant must submit \$-770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

For questions regarding compliance to these requirements, please contact:

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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$5056 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$5956 for a Large Entity

- \$776 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$5056
  - \$860 for 10 independent claims over 3.
- 1386 \$3906 for 247 total claims over 20.
   \$290 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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